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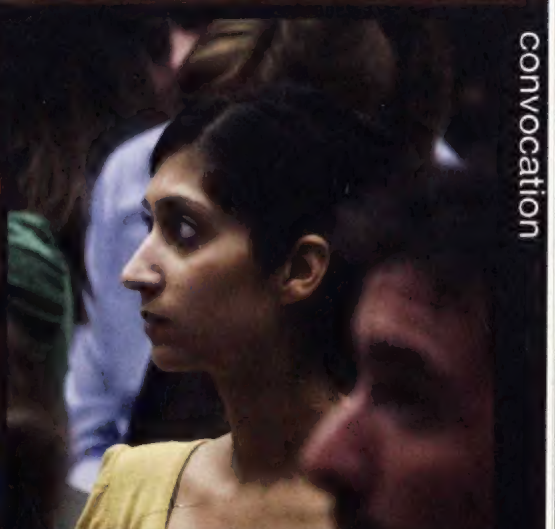


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convocation party





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first class party





food & wine tastings





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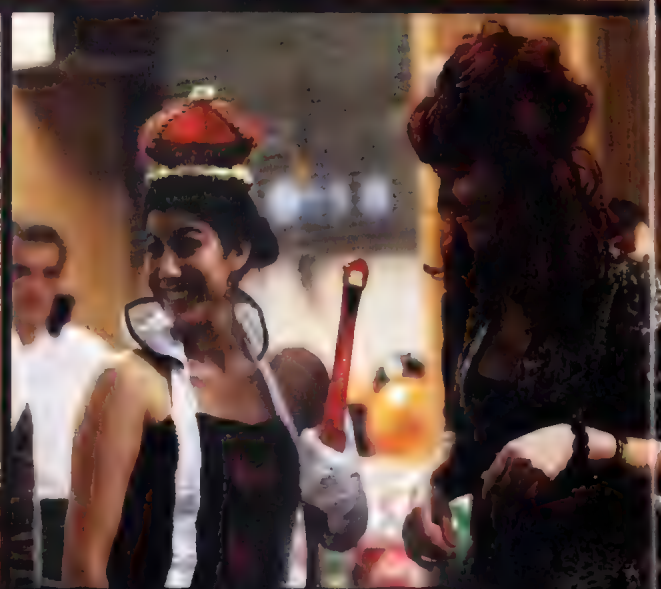
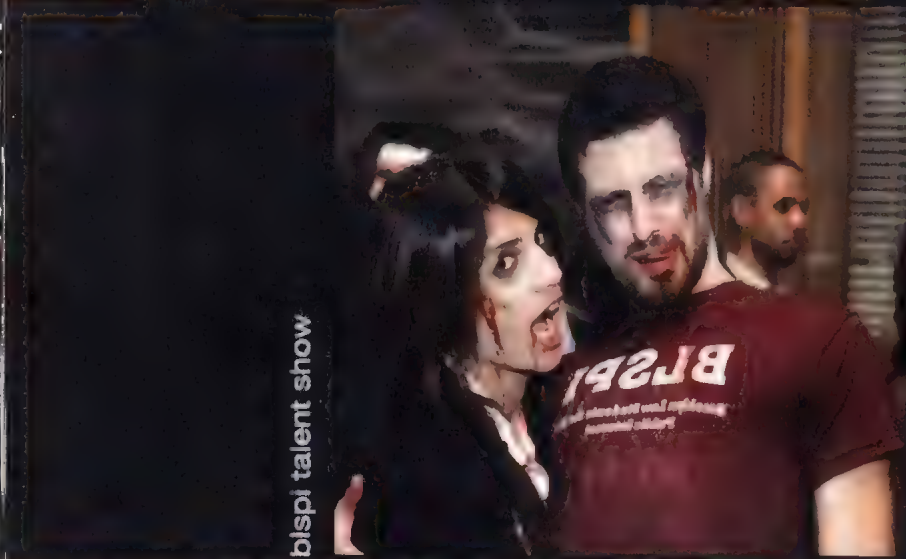


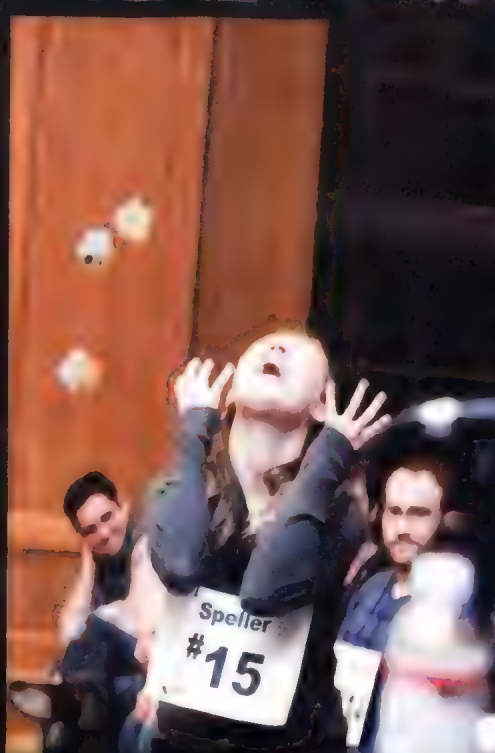
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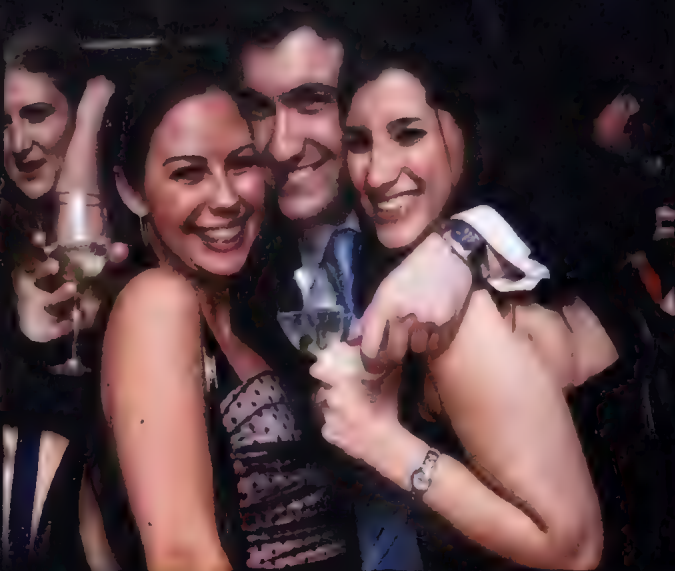
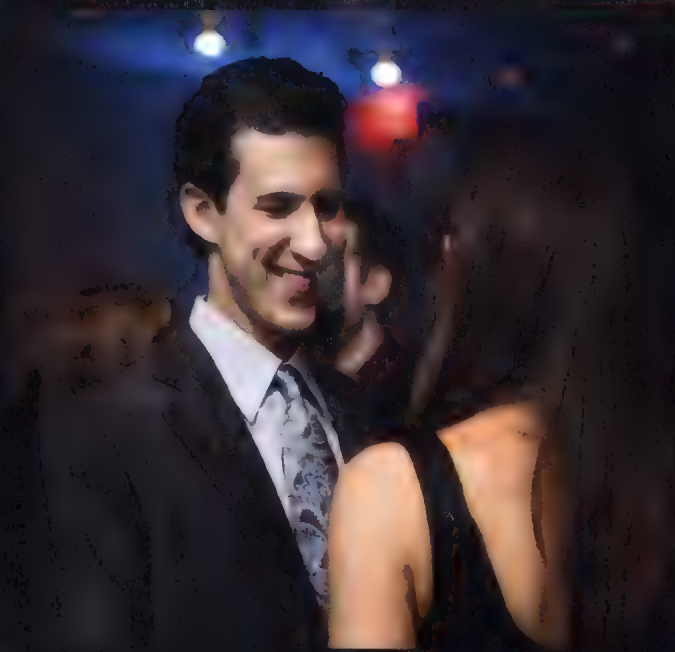
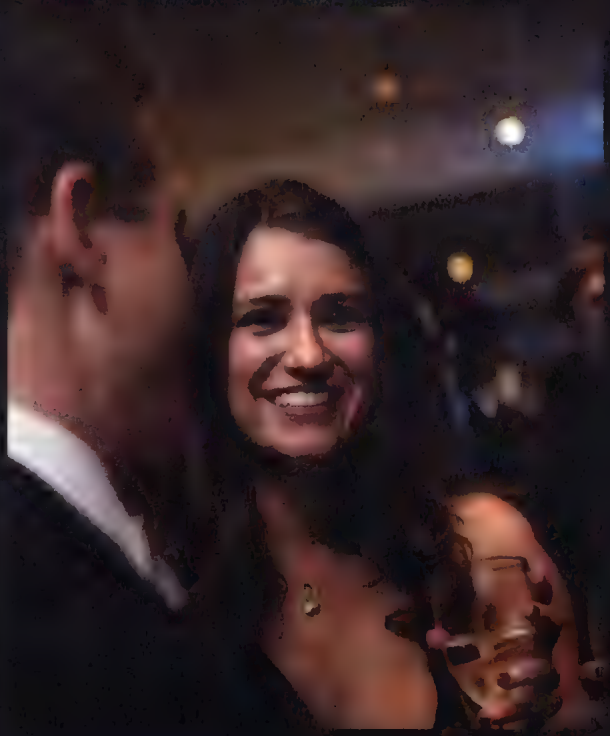
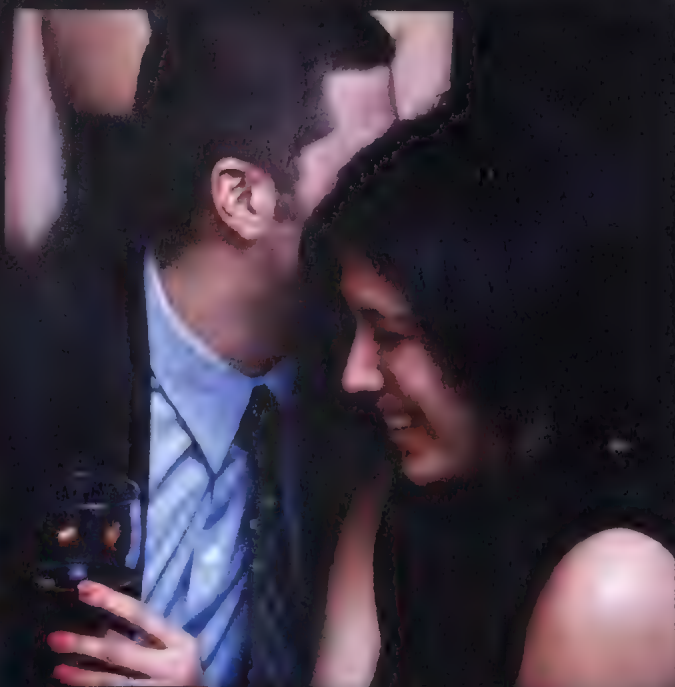


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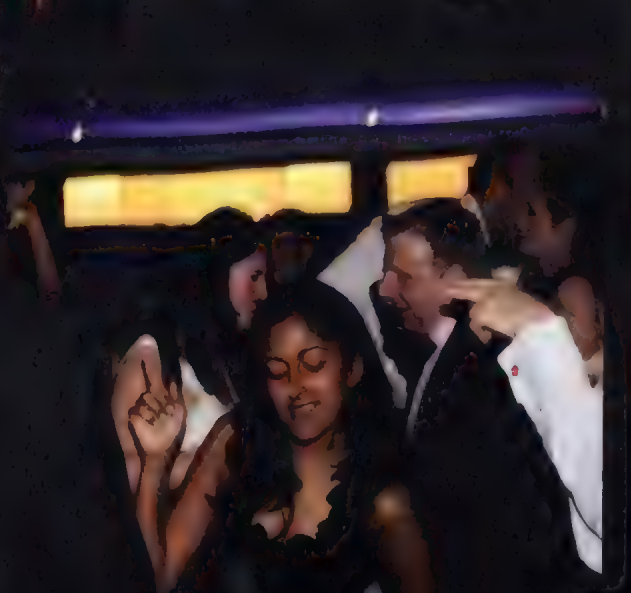


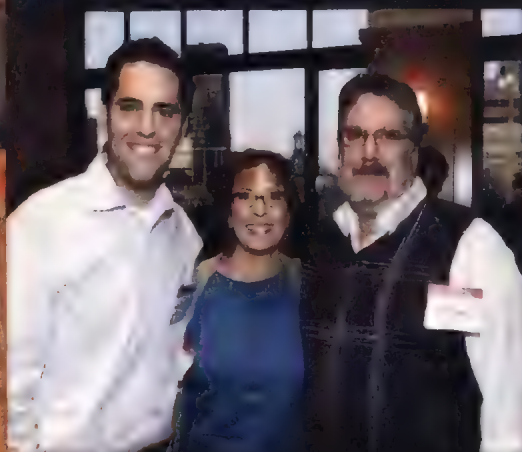
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jerome prince moot court competition reception





merit scholars reception





JOAN G. WEXLER

JOSEPH CREA DEAN AND PROFESSOR OF LAW

June 2010

Dear Members of the Class of 2010:

On behalf of the faculty, administration, and staff, I want to congratulate you on your graduation from Brooklyn Law School. We know that the demands of law school have been immense, but that is precisely why you can take such pride in your achievement.

You are about to discover first-hand that because you are a lawyer, you have the power to influence the course of private lives and public affairs. I am certain that you will exercise your influence with strength and grace, and with care and responsibility, in part because of your training that began here, at Brooklyn Law School.

Indeed, my sincerest wish is that a few years from now, when you reflect on your legal education, you will find that we did our best to instill in you a love of the law and a commitment to what is best about the profession.

Although you are graduating, you will continue to be members of the Brooklyn Law School family—a family spanning many generations—whose members can be found in law firms, government agencies, public interest law offices, and management suites across the country and around the world. There will be many “family gatherings” in the years to come, including class reunions, symposia, and social events. We look forward to seeing you at as many of them that your busy schedule will permit you to attend.

With all best wishes,

Sincerely,

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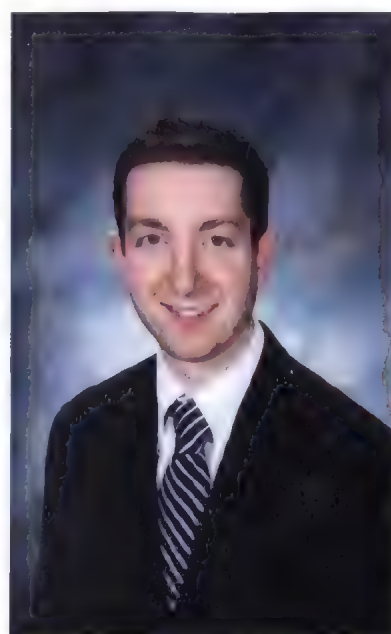
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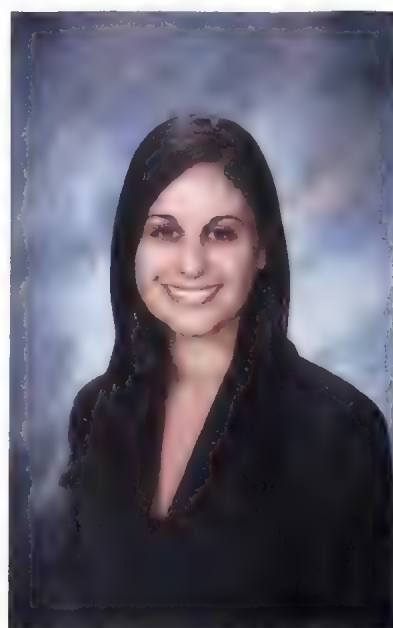
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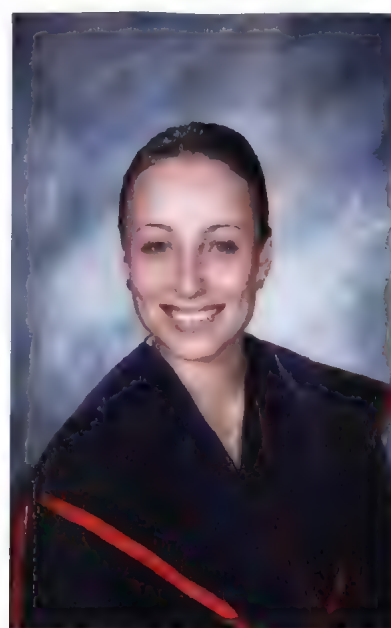
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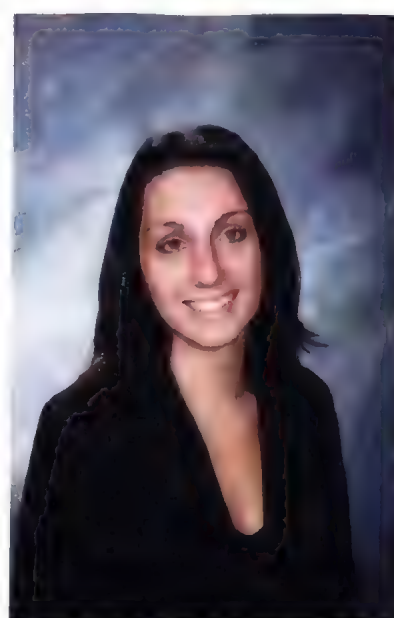
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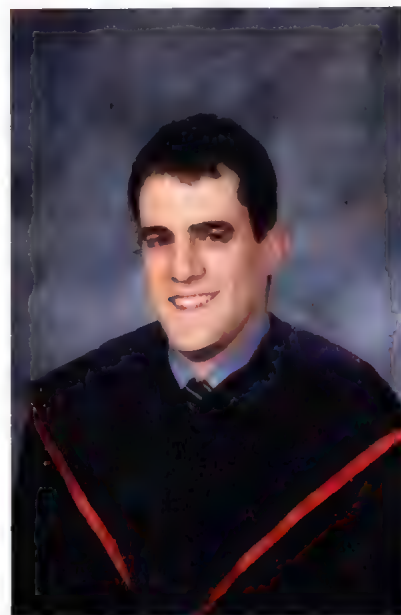
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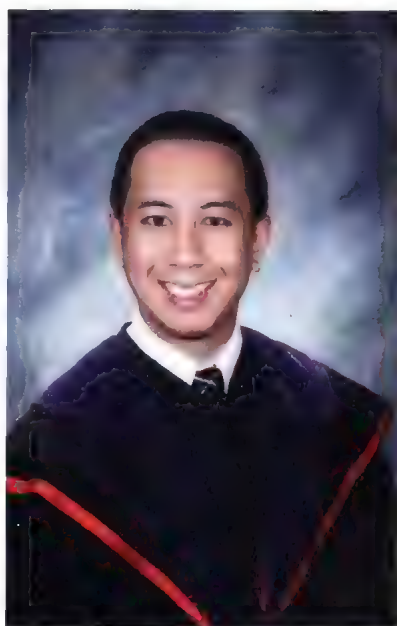
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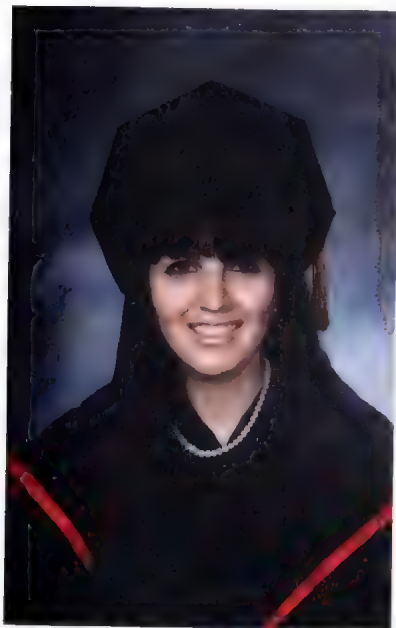
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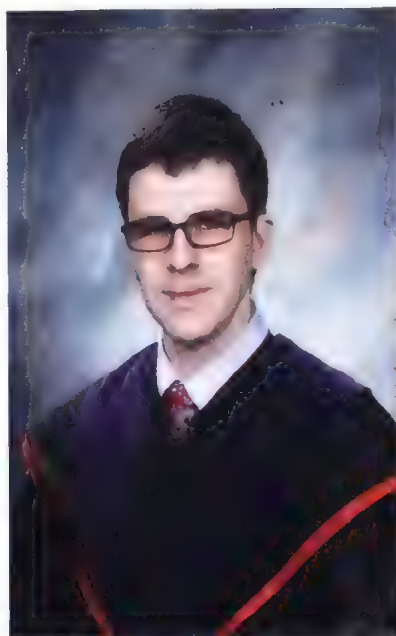
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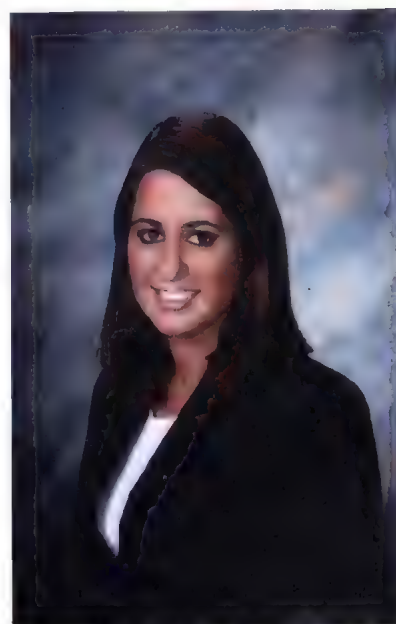
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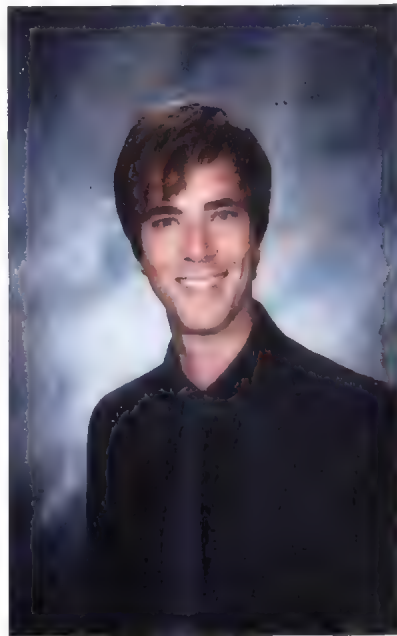
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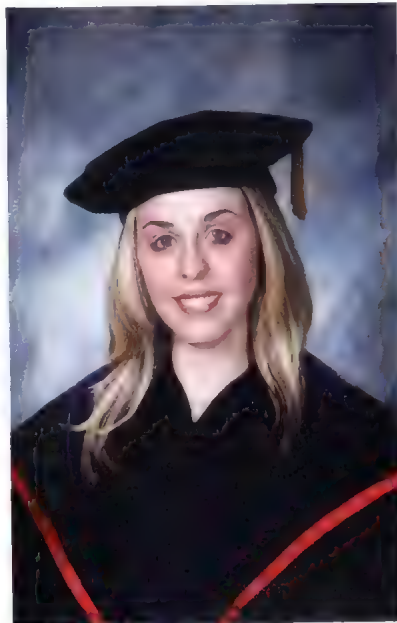
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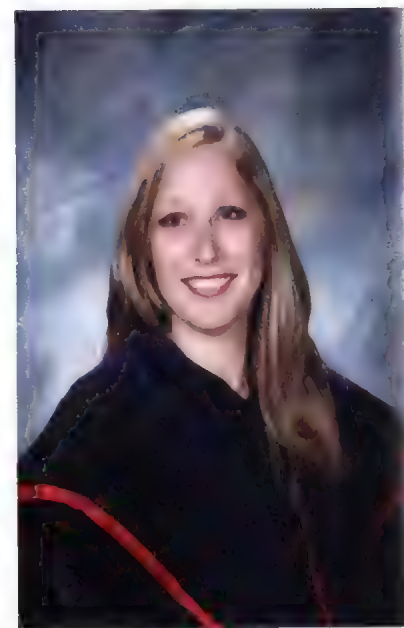
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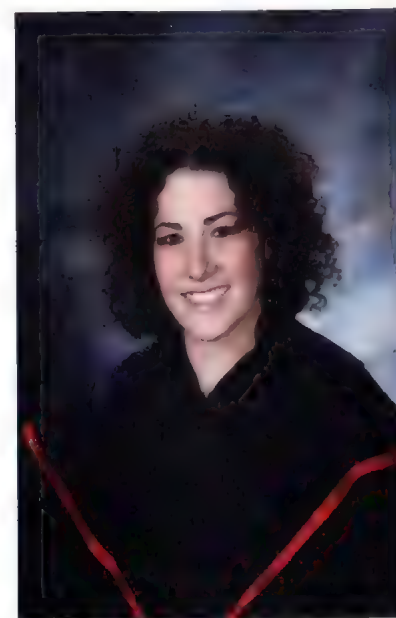
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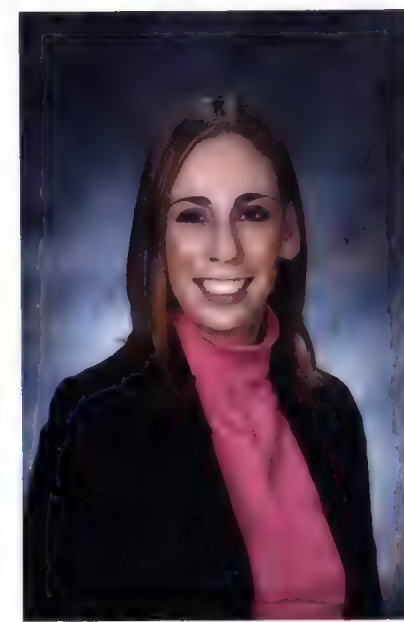
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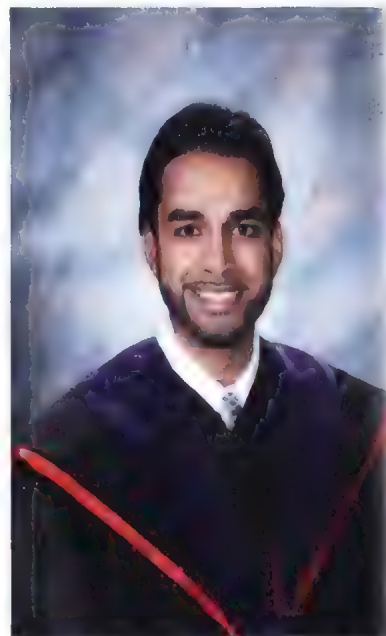
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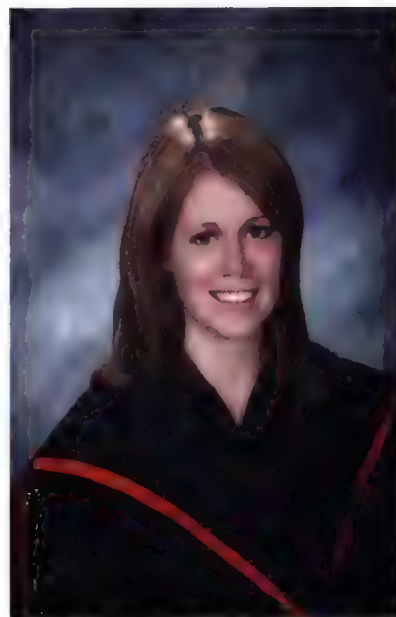
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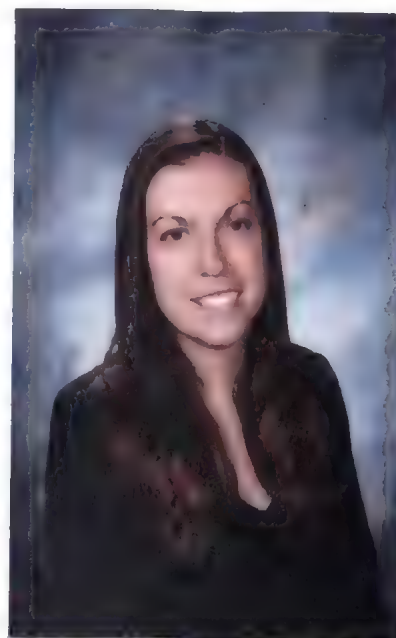
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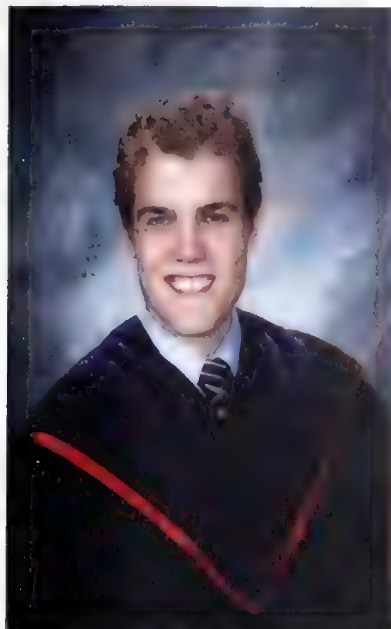
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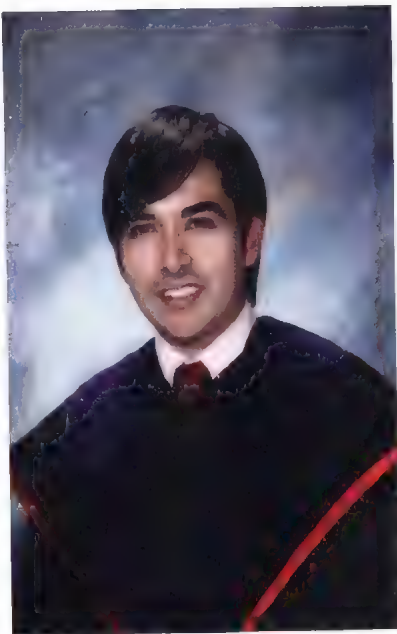
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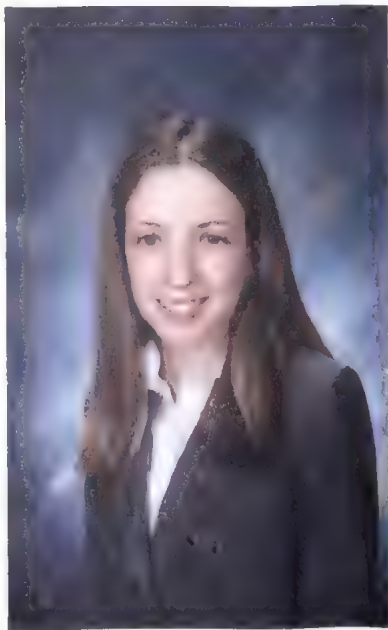
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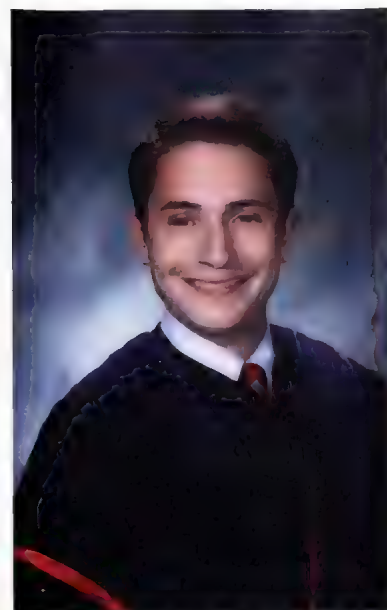
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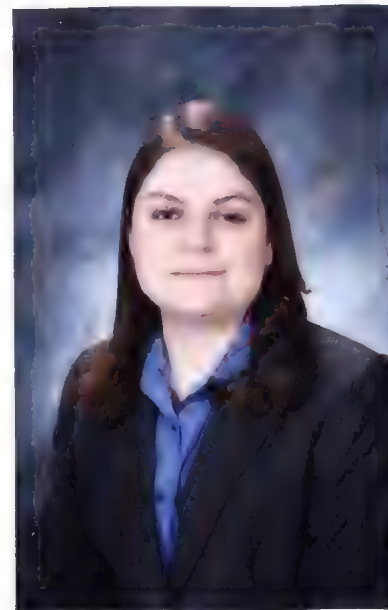
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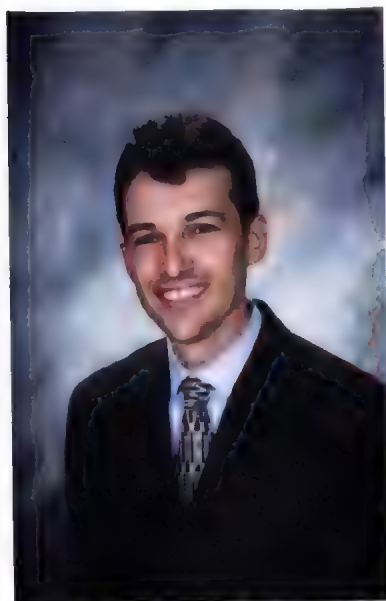
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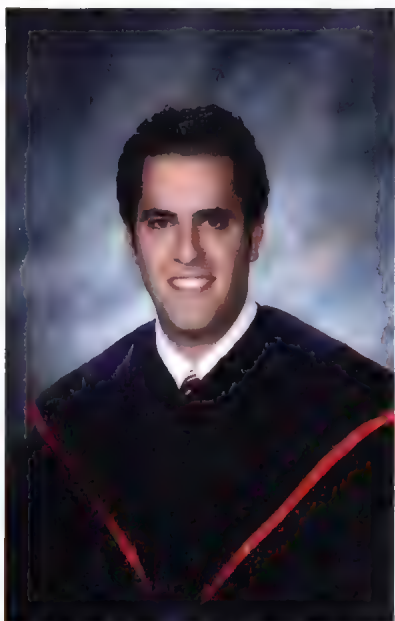
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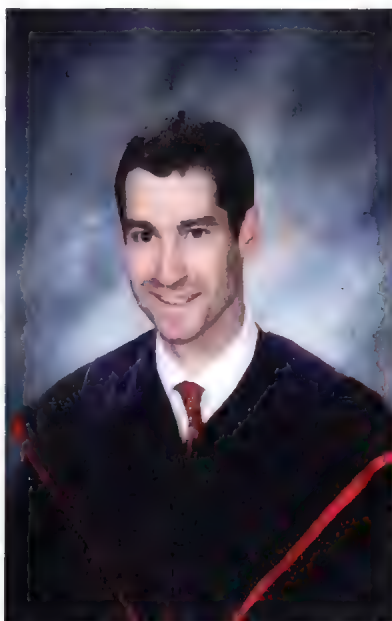
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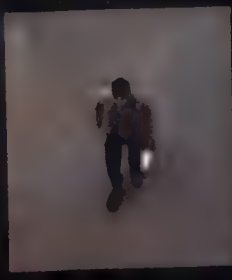
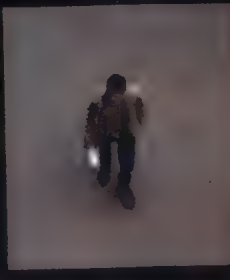
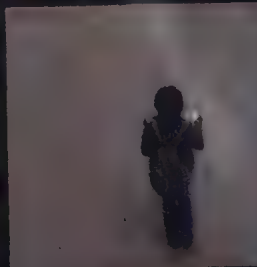
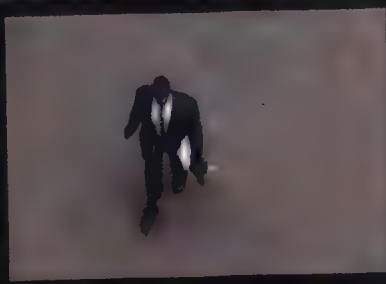
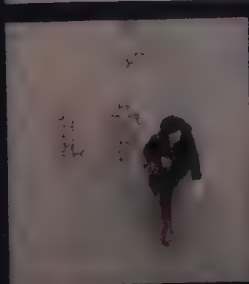
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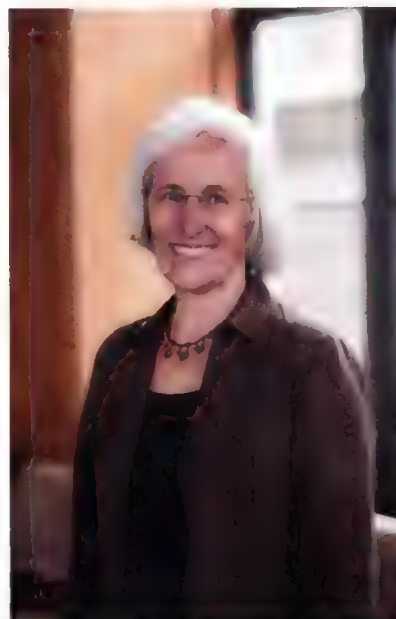
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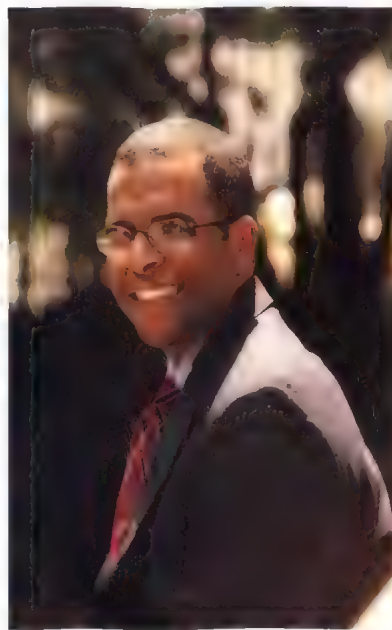
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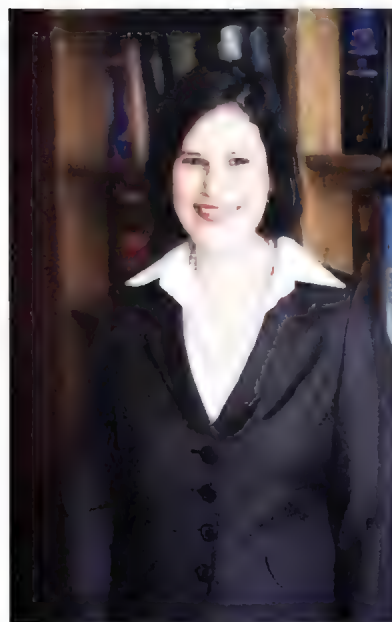
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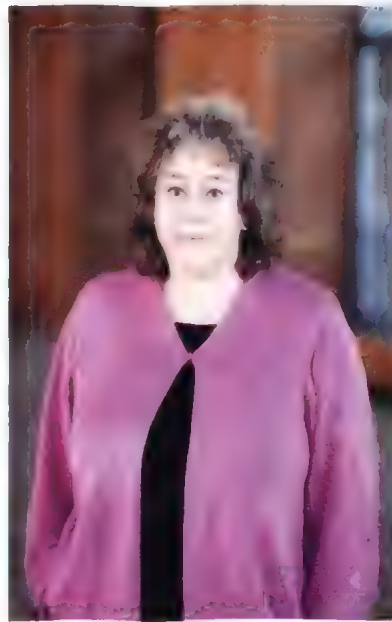
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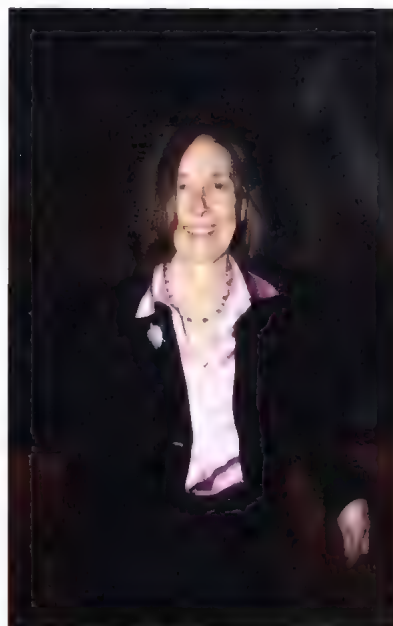
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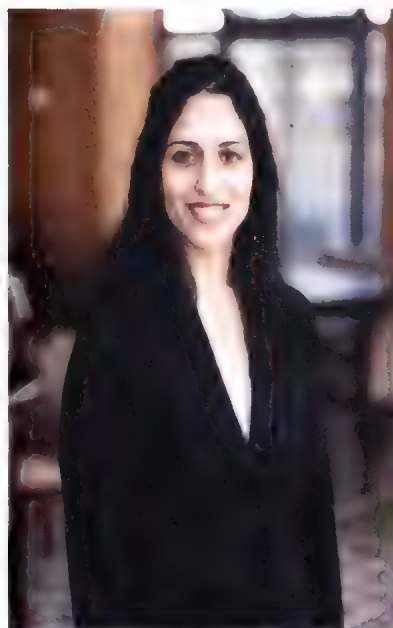
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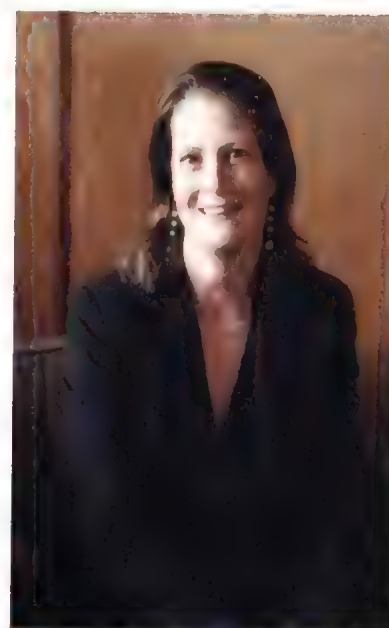
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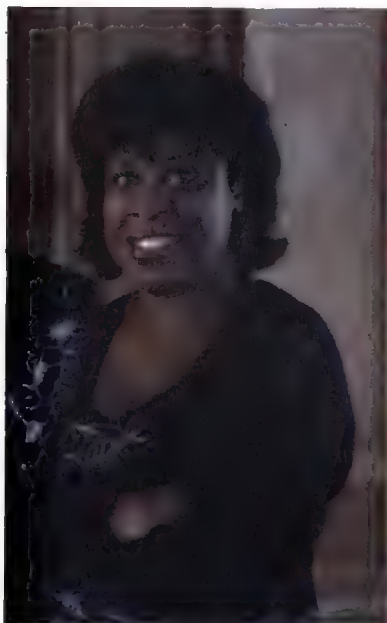
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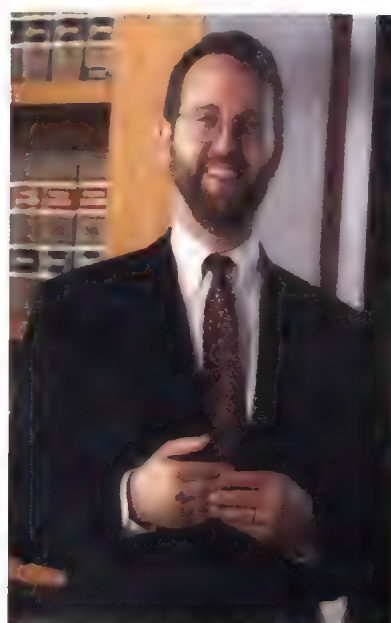
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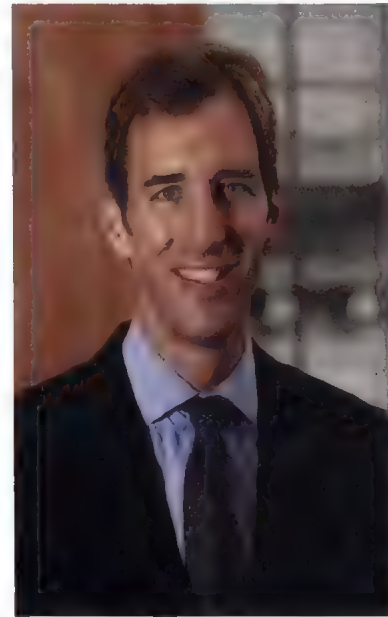
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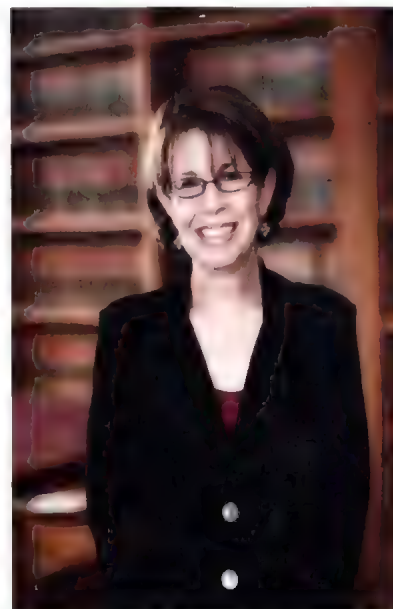
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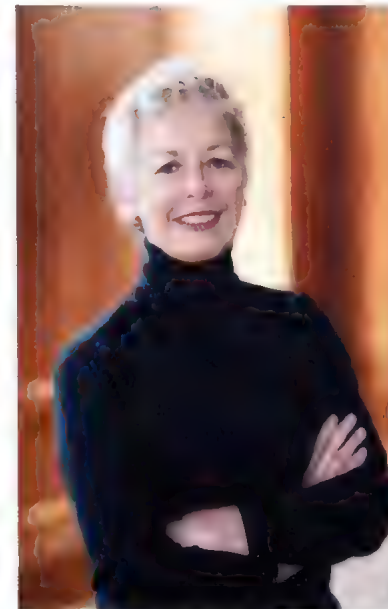
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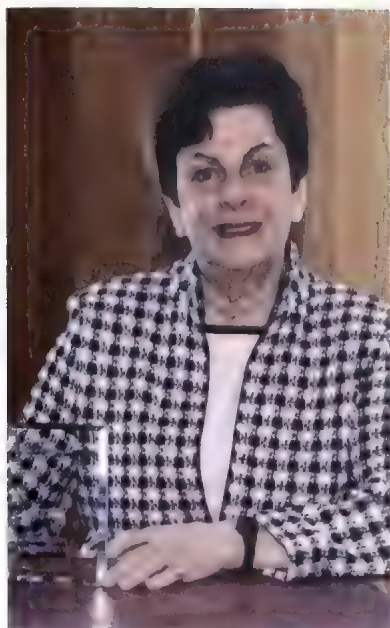
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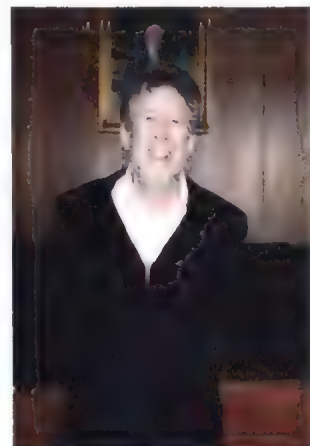
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When we think about Eve Cary, we should remember her engagement with life, her flashes of irony, her genuine warmth, her commitment to the law as an instrument of fairness.

Eve worried over her students the way she fretted over her family. She helped them maintain perspective when things went awry and basked in their accomplishments when things went right. She was one of the least doctrinaire teachers at Brooklyn Law School, believing that there were many paths to an end – but she was also exacting. As an appellate advocate, she knew that her briefs, her words, had the power to affect her clients' welfare, so she poured her intelligence, integrity, and gift for language into each brief, just as she did as a teacher and mentor, seeking to get it just right.

On a shelf in her office sat a small wooden chest with "For Eve" carved on the lid. It was made by one of Eve's clients in a prison carpentry shop. You know you are in the presence of a true advocate and rare soul, when your clients appreciate you—even when you lose.

That is Eve's lasting lesson.

-Professor Elizabeth Fajans



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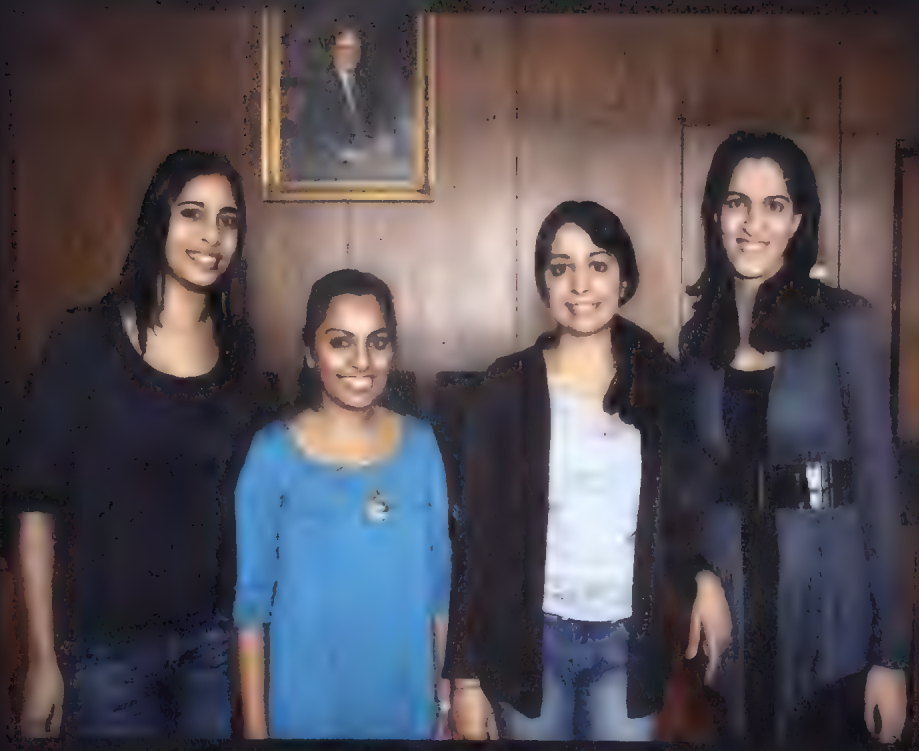
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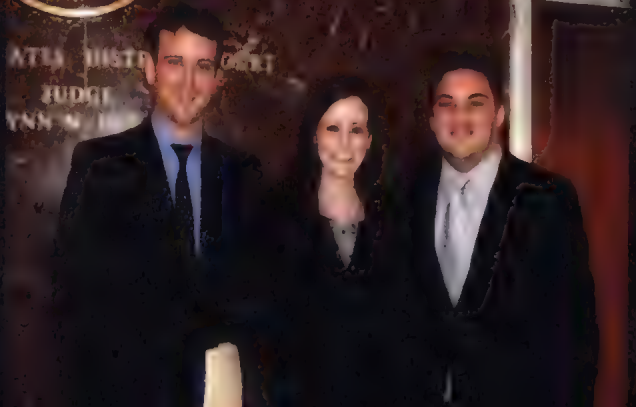
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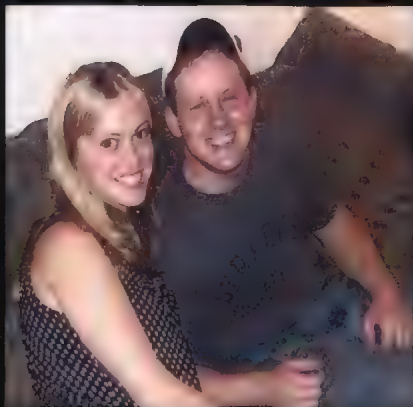
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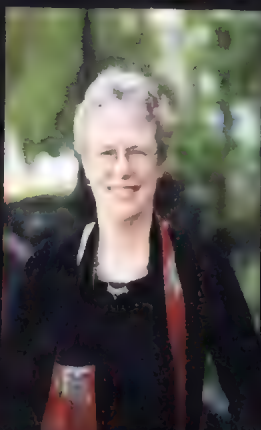
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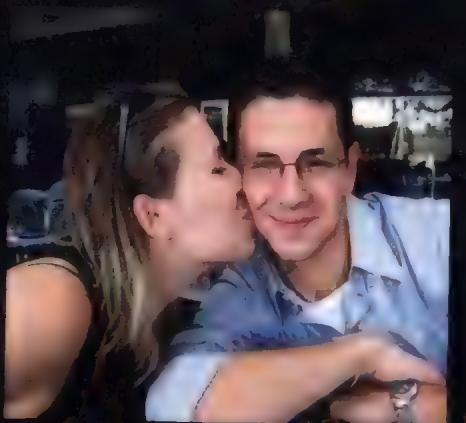
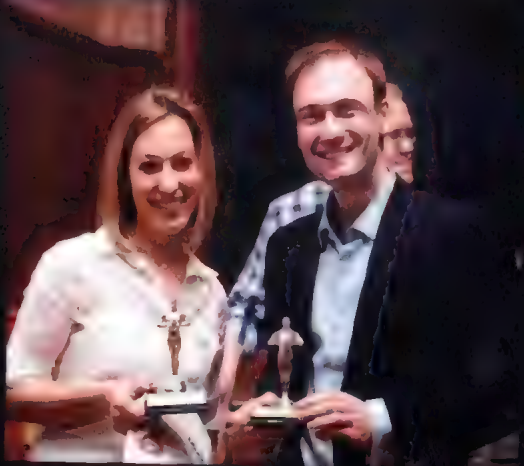
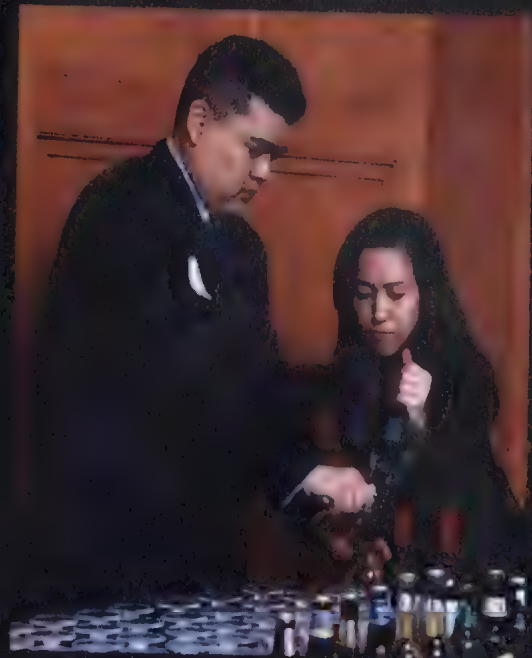








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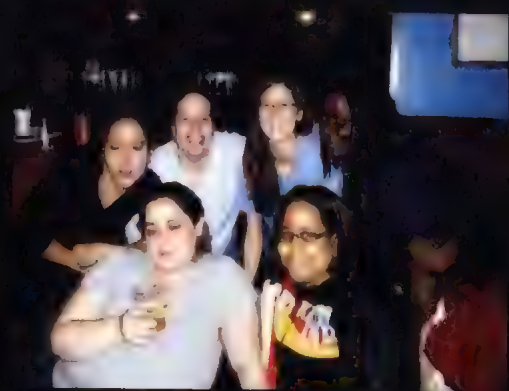


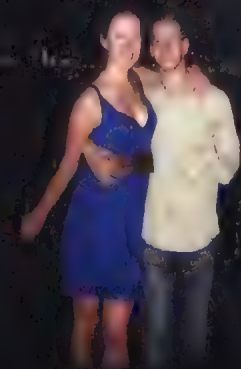
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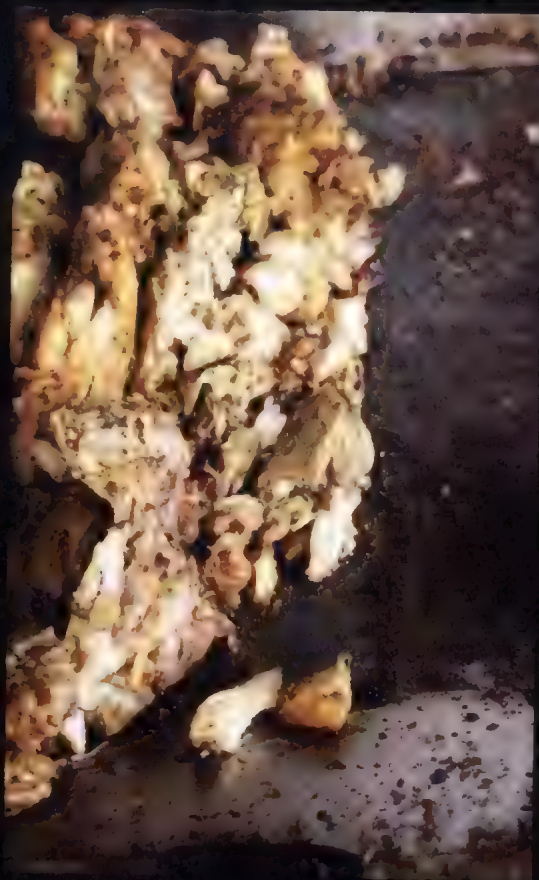














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Dear Graduates of the Class of 2010:

Congratulations! All of your hard work has paid off- you have graduated and many of you are prepared to enter the legal world armed with the knowledge you have acquired over these last few years.

Looking back, it seems that our time here at BLS has gone by in a blink. I'm sure we all remember receiving our acceptance letters in the mail closely followed by that familiar red packet, "Introduction to the Study of Law." Many of you probably read through the pages cover to cover, eager to prepare what promised to be a challenging and rewarding opportunity. Others may have just seen that binder as a harbinger of what promised to be the first of many challenging assignments marked by difficulty and frustration. And at first everything seemed overwhelming.

Then something happened. As you continued to persevere, your understanding sharpened and your focus became clear. Time and again as you were given the opportunity to practice your newly developing skills, you succeeded and flourished in the incubator that Brooklyn Law School provided. The internships, the classes, the clinics, the student groups, the social events- every day required you to make numerous decisions that would ultimately determine your career and your network. You held on when others didn't. Some of your colleagues moved on to other schools or alternative careers, but you stayed. Now is the time to move forward. You have made your choices, now hold fast to them. You invested your time, your resources, and much more. It wasn't easy, but nothing worth doing ever is.

This last year, it has been my great privilege and honor to serve you as President of the Student Bar Association and I am truly grateful for the opportunity. Every decision I made, whether it was to fight the Administration on an issue or to give way, my focus was always on doing good and ensuring that the student body received the absolute best representation I could provide. I feel that I have succeeded as best I could. As this book shows, the events in 2010, from annual BLSPI Talent Show to the Race Judicata, BLS events have never been more successful, and it couldn't have happened without the support of many of you, and for that I thank you.

I hope that as you turn the pages of this book, you look back on these years fondly, and when you see the photographs of the people you met here, that you see colleagues and friends to be admired and respected. It is with a spirit of joy and celebration that, on behalf of the entire student body, I congratulate you on your accomplishment and wish you the best of luck in all of your future endeavors.

Warmest Regards,

Paul Molina

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